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Council Connection

Recent Council actions from September 15 meeting:

• Raising Cane's: The City Council approved a Development stage - Planned Unit Development Application for Raising Cane's restaurant on Lexington Avenue in front of Target. This allows the Developer to move forward and submit final plans for review. Raising Cane's is a fast food restaurant specializing in chicken tender meals. They



Pictured back row, left to right: Ady Wickstrom, Terry Quigley and Emy Johnson. Pictured front row, left to right: City Manager Terry Schwerm, Mayor Sandy Martin and Ben Withhart.

have 200 restaurants in the United States, and the Shoreview location will be their third in Minnesota.

- Quiet Zones North/South Corridor: The City was recently awarded a \$500,000 grant from the Legislature to improve the railroad crossings at North Owasso Boulevard and Jerrold Avenue in order to meet the standards required to establish quiet zones on the north-south rail corridor that runs through the city. The Council approved an agreement with Soo Line Railroad for the completion of a preliminary engineering study and cost estimates for these improvements.
- **Issuance of Bonds:** The City Council approved the issuance of \$6,980,000 General Obligation Refunding Bonds. These bonds will refinance two outstanding debt obligations and will offer the City additional interest savings based on lower interest rates, as well as eliminate potential federal government reimbursement reductions. Based on present value interest rates, the City could potentially save as much as \$325,000 with this refunding.

ShoreViews - September/October 2014

Newest edition of City publication now available online

The newest issue of <u>ShoreViews</u> is now available online. The September/October 2014 edition of our official City publication highlights plenty of City news, information and special features. See a preview of upcoming Shoreview Fall fun and important changes to Fall Cleanup Day, community organization event details and much more. <u>Read more about what's inside ShoreViews here</u>.

Touch a Truck and Kids' Garage Sale

The Community Center is the place to be, Saturday, Sept. 20

It's two great events at one time! The Kids' Garage Sale and the Touch-a-Truck event will be held Saturday, Sept. 20, 9 a.m. to noon. Kids in grades K-5 may rent a table for \$15 to sell toys, games, books, and sporting goods at the Kids' Garage Sale in the Haffeman Pavilion (behind the Shoreview Community Center). Pre-registration is required, so reserve your table today! While you're there, visit our FREE Touch-a-Truck event in the lower level parking lot - your chance to hop right into the driver's seat of a fire engine, police car, snow plow, dump truck and more vehicles! This event is open to everyone. More details about both events: www.shoreviewcommunitycenter.com.

Salsa Showdown - Farmers' Market

Put your salsa recipe to the test, Sept. 23

Visit the Shoreview Farmers' Market for the freshest locally-grown produce. September 23 features a Salsa Showdown: If you have the best salsa recipe, put it to the test! Enter it into our Salsa Showdown and let our judges decide: Entry form and details. And remember to pick up a bouquet of colorful flowers while you can! The Market runs from 3 to 7 p.m. every Tuesday until September 30, and from 3 to 6 p.m. October 7 and 14.

Fall Hydrant Flushing Begins Sept. 29

City crews will carry out biannual program through Oct. 17, 2014

As a regular maintenance practice, the City of Shoreview flushes all fire hydrants throughout the City twice a year. Utility Maintenance crews will begin Fall Hydrant Flushing work on Monday, Sept. 29. View more details and a map of dates and locations.

Fire Department Open House

Enjoy Lake Johanna Fire Department's free festivities, Sat. Oct. 4

Mark your calendars for the fun festivities at Lake Johanna Fire Department's Fall Open House on Saturday, Oct. 4! The free event will be held at Fire Station #3 (Lexington Ave. and County Road I), from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. See more details about the planned activities.



Fall Cleanup Day: Important Changes

Bring old electronics, general refuse and hazardous waste

Clean up before winter sets in! Mark your calendars for Fall Cleanup

Day, Saturday, Oct. 4, from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Hamline Ave. and

Highway 96. Residents can bring electronics, household hazardous

waste, and garbage/refuse not accepted by their hauler. Residents must present a

Shoreview ID. Charges will now be determined by vehicle type/loads; cash or checks
only. Please be sure to read more details about important changes to this event here.

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